



RUBRIC: GET CERTIFIED!

From Digital Online Judging to State Championship
Individual Student Event, 2 Persons Allowed Per School To Apply
Division: 5-8 and 9-12 Only

Students need to be college and career ready. Some STLP students are studying and taking exams to become certified in an IT (Information Technology) area. Do you have students that have set a goal of gaining a certificate? Have students gather resume and submit for this category.

The top five students will be invited to State to display a poster called: How I Got Certified for My Future Career and What it Means to Me. The candidate will create the poster. Judges at State will interview the student.
First and second place will be recognized on stage during the Awards program.

What the STLP Coordinator/Coach/Teacher should do:

- Share the rubric with students
- Assist students with planning for industry certification, this may take more than a semester
- Discuss with the student how best to display resume for judges
- If selected as finalist, help candidate create poster to bring to display. Other students may help the student create the poster. Please credit them on the poster.

What the students should do:

- Review the rubric
- Select the industrial certification to complete or post certificate for viewing, create and update resume
- Turn in resume and proof of certification and questions below
- Why did you decide to work towards the certificate that you have acquired?
- What are your career goals?

ONLINE JUDGING	CRITERIA	POINTS EARNED
RESUME	Resume is viewed by judges	0 10
CERTIFICATION	Proof of certificate is viewed by judges	0 10
QUESTIONS	Answers in detail are posted online for judges: Why did you decide to work towards the certificate that you have acquired?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
	What are your career goals?	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
SKILL SETS	Judges can gleam student skill sets from online information	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
	TOTAL SCORE OUT OF 50:	
STATE CHAMPIONSHIP		
POSTER How I Got Certified for My Future Career and What it Means to Me. The candidate and others can create the poster. Credits included.	Unique, imaginative; visual appealing; skill sets and certificate type is included; poster is ready to hang at State	
INTERVIEW AT STATE	Student presents information and answers questions for final judges	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
	Student can discuss the link between future career choice and certification	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
	TOTAL SCORE OUT OF 20:	

INVITED TO STATE THIS YEAR ____